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To Whom It May Concern,

I am contacting you regarding HB 5679, sex offender registry laws. The laws cause undue harm and punishment to those placed on it. I am currently on the registry for an offense in 2007 and my life has been plagued with difficulties. For instance, I am unable to rent apartments by normal means reducing the locations I can live exponentially. I was denied treatment at Dawn Farms for alcohol addiction due to the SOR. University of Michigan Psychology denied me treatment for depression and anxiety caused by being publicly ridiculed.

The registry overall is unconstitutional and needs to be abolished as the Judge has already decided.

Regards,

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